

Arizona Tribal Energy Association Annual Meeting

Ak-Chin Indian Community Harrah's Ak-Chin Casino March 23, 2010

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Boulder Canyon Project (BCP)

- Western marketed the BCP in 1987 in accordance with the Hoover Power Plant Act of 1984 and the Conformed General Consolidated Power Marketing Criteria or Regulations for Boulder City Area Projects (49 FR 50582)
- Current Allocations:
 - 1,951 MW of contingent capacity
 - 4,527,001 MWh of firm energy
 - Allocated to 15 Contractors
 - Contracts expire
 September 30, 2017



BCP PMI Federal Register Notice

Boulder Canyon Project Proposal

(74 FR 60256, dated 11/20/2009)

- Apply Power Marketing Initiative (PMI) to the BCP
- Extend 95% of Marketable Resource to Existing Contractors
- 30 Year Contract Term
 October 1, 2017 September 30, 2047
- Reserve 5% of Marketable Energy and 4.5% of Marketable Capacity for a Resource Pool
- No Additional Incremental Resource Pools for 30 Years



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Boulder Canyon Project Remarketing Milestones

January 2010...... Conduct Public Comment Forums

Fall 2010..... Publish Final PMI Decision

in the Federal Register

Summer 2011..... Finalize Remarketing Criteria

Summer 2012..... Final Allocations Defined

Spring 2013..... Contracts Executed

http://www.wapa.gov/dsw/pwrmkt/BCP_Remarketing/BCP_Remarketing.htm



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BCP Proposed Legislation H.R. 4349 / S. 2891

- Legislation proposed on 12/16/09
- > 5% resource pool for "new allottees" to be distributed in a specified manner
- 50 Year Contract Term
 October 1, 2017 September 30, 2067
- Specifies "Federally recognized Indian Tribes" as eligible for an allocation
- All contractors must enter Implementation Agreement
- All contractors financially contribute in the Multi-Species Conservation Program (MSCP)



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